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A Compromise on the Suffrage Question

In the last issue of the Oregonian we announced the existence of a movement in the Legislature of this State, looking to the submission to the people of a proposition to amend the Constitution of the State so as to confer the right of suffrage upon the negro. We have since learned that the movement has been abandoned, and that the Legislature will not be asked to take any action upon the subject. The reason for this abandonment is found in the fact that the Democratic members of the Legislature have come to the conclusion that the people of the State are not yet prepared to vote upon the question of negro suffrage, and that the submission of the proposition to the people would result in its defeat. The Democratic members of the Legislature, therefore, have come to the conclusion that it is better to defer the matter for the present, and wait for a more favorable opportunity to submit the question to the people. This is a wise conclusion, and we are glad to see that the Democratic members of the Legislature have arrived at it. The Democratic party of Oregon is not yet ready to commit political suicide by voting for negro suffrage, and the Democratic members of the Legislature have shown their wisdom by refusing to submit the question to the people at this time.

The Democratic party of Oregon is opposed to negro suffrage, and will remain opposed to it, until the people of the State shall have had time to become familiar with the question, and to overcome the prejudice which now exists against it. The Democratic party of Oregon is not opposed to negro suffrage because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote, but because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote at this time. The Democratic party of Oregon is not opposed to negro suffrage because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote at any time, but because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote at this time. The Democratic party of Oregon is not opposed to negro suffrage because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote at any time, but because it is unwilling that the negro should have the right to vote at this time.

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Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates ..... 4 @4½
New York Gold Quotations 1.41

THE NEW OR PATENT. Mr. Jonathan Taylor, the assignee of the patent for the New Iron Lock invented by Mr. [illegible] of San Francisco, California and Oregon, yesterday exhibited to a number of the [illegible] the merits of the lock. [illegible] was witnessed by nearly every gentleman present. It is a very simple [illegible] and is not liable to get out of order. [illegible] Mr. Taylor has assembled [illegible] for the engagement of [illegible] of the lock to [illegible] as the expense of [illegible] At the [illegible] the lock [illegible] Mr. Taylor [illegible] the [illegible] Mr. Taylor [illegible] the [illegible] Mr. Taylor [illegible] the

The Assassination Trials

BEFORE A MILITARY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, June 28, 1865.

The Court met at 11 o'clock this afternoon, when Special Judge Advocate Bingham proceeded to sum up the evidence in the case of the alleged conspirators for the murder of the late President.

The question [illegible] was whether the prisoners [illegible] the rebel authorities [illegible] the assassination [illegible] the President.

[illegible] CONSPIRACY.

Public opinion [illegible] was [illegible] by either of the rebel chiefs in the Confederate capital, or [illegible] all the [illegible] to the [illegible] and [illegible] whether the [illegible] were [illegible] were present at and here within the United [illegible] or Canada [illegible] the [illegible] of the rebellion are also facts established here and which no man can gainsay. Who doubts that Kenney, day, whose confession made in view of immediate death, as proved here, was commissioned by these accredited agents of Davis to burn the city of New York, that he was to have attempted it on the night of the Presidential election, and that he did, in combination with his confederates, set fire to four hotels in the city of New York on the night of the 25th of November last? Who doubts that in like manner, in the interest of the rebellion and by the authority of Davis' accredited agents, also commissioned Bennett H Young to commit arson, robbery and murder of unarmed citizens in St Albans, Vermont? Who doubts, upon the testimony shown, that Davis, by his agents deliberately adopted the system of starvation of our captive soldiers in his hands, or that as shown by the testimony, he sanctioned the burning of hospitals and steamboats, the property of private persons, and paid therefor from his stolen treasure the sum of $1,500 in gold.

THE YELLOW FEVER PLOT.

By the evidence of Joseph Godfrey Hyams it is proved that Dr Ingram, the agent of Jefferson Davis paid him money for the service he rendered in the infamous and fiendish project of imparting pestilence into our camps and cities, to destroy the lives of citizens and soldiers, and into the house of the President for the purpose of destroying his life. It may be said, and, doubtless will be said by the pensioned advocates of this rebellion, that Hyams, being infamous as it must be conceded that any man is infamous who either participated in such a crime or who attempts in anywise to extenuate but it will be observed that Hyams is supported by the testimony of Sandford Conover, who heard Blackburn and the other rebel agents in Canada speak of this infernal project, and by the testimony of Wall, the well known auctioneer of this city, whose character is unquestioned, that he received the importation of pestilence, of course without any knowledge of the purpose, and that Hyams consigned the goods to him in the name of J W Harris, a fact in itself an acknowledgment of guilt and that he received afterward a letter from Harris, dated Toronto (C W) December 1st, 1864, wherein Harris stated that he had not been able to come to the States since his return to Canada and asked for an account of the sale It was, Bingham said, a matter of not rlety that a part of Hyams statement is verified by the results at Newbern (N C), to which point, he says a portion of the infected clothing was shipped through a satler, the result of which was that nearly 1,000 citizens and soldiers died there about that time with the yellow fever

COMPLICITY OF DAVIS

Bingham then proceeded to show that there was positive proof on the record to show that the rebel chief, Jeff Davis, sanctioned these crimes committed, and attempted, through the instrumentality of his accredited agents in Canada Thomas, Clay, Tucker, Sanders, Cleary, upon the houses and property of the people of the North, and that Davis, the procurer of arson and of the indiscriminate murder of the innocent and unoffending necessarily resultant therefrom, was equable also of endeavoring to procure the murder, by direct assassination of the President of the United States and others charged with the duty of maintaining the Government of the United States and of suppressing the rebellion, in which this arch traitor and conspirator was engaged The official papers of Davis, captured under the guns of our victorious army in the rebel Capital, identified beyond question and shadow of doubt and placed upon your record together with the declarations and acts of his conspirators and agents proclaim to all the world that he was capable of attempting to accomplish his treasonable preservation of the murder of the late President and other chief officers of the United States by the hands of hired assassins

THE ASSASSINATE W PLANNED IN CANADA

Bingham said the Court must be satisfied that the several parties named in the record did combine and conspire together in Canada to kill and murder Abraham Lincoln Andrew Johnson, Wm H Seward and Ulysses S Grant, and that this agreement was substantially entered into by Booth and the agents of Davis in Canada as early as October last if not [illegible] before. What every one in the convention of others my own conviction is that Jefferson Davis is as clearly proven guilty of this conspiracy as is John Wilkes Booth by whose hand Jefferson Davis effected the mortal wounding of Abraham Lincoln His words of intense hate and rage and disappointment are recorded to [illegible] that the assassins had not done their work well that they had not as could be desired by the people altogether of their constitutional Executive and advisers, and hence Davis [illegible] If they had killed Andy Johnson the beast and Secretary Stanton the job would be complete. The jet says this pur ose of assassination was not well done It appears by the testimony that if [illegible] of treason [illegible] and [illegible] that by the defeat of the rebellion by the [illegible] Clay Clary Harpe and Young the conspirators in Canada the agents out and commission and [illegible] them was to kill and murder Abraham Lincoln William H Seward, Andrew Johnson Ulysses S Grant Hon W Stanton, and others of his advisers and not leaving them It appears from every utterance of John Wilkes Booth, as well as from the Charles Selby letter that [illegible] as early as November the [illegible] with him was to kill and [illegible]

CLERAN'S TESTIMONY

The Judge Advocate then [illegible] Cleran's testimony, [illegible] Cleran entered into an elaborate review of the evidence, saying that there was a conspiracy between the several accused in the execution of this conspiracy was clearly es-

[illegible] by the testimony [illegible] the fact that Atzerodt [illegible] was to kill [illegible] by John Wilkes [illegible] the conference [illegible] Booth [illegible] adjournment [illegible] Mudd and Arnold were in Washington [illegible] the 14th of April the day of the assassination further with John Wilkes Booth and John H Surratt that on that day Booth [illegible] met in consultation with the prisoner Mary E Surratt that [illegible] that Payne went to Surratt's [illegible] to perform her part of the preparation necessary to the successful execution of the conspiracy and [illegible] that [illegible] from the [illegible] H Surratt had arrived there in Canada [illegible] the part that [illegible] had performed in the [illegible] of April with [illegible] Clay [illegible] Thompson [illegible] the room Jacob Thompson [illegible] that he was [illegible] to keep watch [illegible] strike a blow, and [illegible] for the [illegible] that Atzerodt [illegible] to the effect that [illegible] was waiting [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] would have performed the task which [illegible] had [illegible] undertaken, by entering the conspiracy the murder of Andrew Johnson then Vice President of the United States that the duties [illegible] that [illegible] Seward and [illegible] that [illegible] the evening [illegible] Kirkwood House where the Vice President then was [illegible] and after Atzerodt [illegible] and left the city [illegible] [illegible] Booth [illegible] was at the [illegible] House and left the city [illegible] [illegible] Vice President and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Booth [illegible] [illegible] Wilkes Booth [illegible] After it when he [illegible] [illegible] Mr Lincoln in the afternoon for the [illegible] and to Wel [illegible] who was there he was [illegible] from the country and he was going to get a horse [illegible] and Sand for Payne He did get a horse for Payne as well as for himself for it was proven that on the 12th he was seen in Washington [illegible] and [illegible] November, from [illegible] since And [illegible] he was tried before the [illegible] Seward on the night of the murder and was captured on the [illegible] Payne who was in the [illegible] and which [illegible] now about [illegible] the Gardiner case, Booth also procured [illegible] horse on the same day Booth [illegible] in the [illegible] of the theatre where he had an interview with Spangler, and where he concealed [illegible] Harrold [illegible] Payne a horse in the afternoon, and was seen between 9 and 10 o'clock riding with Atzerodt down the Avenue from the Treasury, through Pennsylvania Avenue and 9th street passing close to Ford's Theatre O'Laughlin had [illegible] Washington the day [illegible] bought out his [illegible] Memorial Grant at the house of the Secretary of War that he might be able with certainty to identify him and at the very hour when these preparations were going on, was lying in wait at Rullman's on the Avenue, keeping watch, and [illegible] ready as he did at 10 o'clock when told that the fatal blow had been struck by Booth I don't believe Booth did it During the day and night before he had been visiting Booth and doubtless encouraging him, and at that very hour was in position at an convenient distance to aid and protect him in his flight as well as to execute his own part of the conspiracy by inflicting death upon General Grant, who, it is [illegible] was not at the theater, or in the only having left the city that day Who doubts that Booth having abandoned, in the course of the day that General Grant would not be present at the theatre, O'Laughlin who was to murder General Grant instead of entering the box with Booth was detailed by him to wait and watch and slay or him? Judge Bingham minutely detailed the circumstances in connection with all the accused to show that they were clearly co-conspirators, and concluded his elaborate summing up as follows

CONCLUSION

If this treasonable conspiracy has not been wholly executed if the several executive officers of the United States and the Commander of its armies, to kill and murder when the said several accused this confederated and conspired, have not each and all fallen by the hands of these conspirators thereby leaving the people of the United States without a President and Vice President without a Secretary of State, who alone is clothed with authority by the law to call an election to fill a vacancy should any arise in the offices of President and Vice President and without a lawful commander of the armies of the Republic it is only because the conspirators were deterred by the vigilance and fidelity of the executive officers whose lives were mercifully protected on that night of murder by the care of the Infinite Being who has thus far saved the Republic and crowned its armies with victory If this conspiracy was entered into by the accused if John Wilkes Booth did kill and murder Abraham Lincoln in pursuance thereof if Lewis Payne did, in pursuance of said conspiracy assault with intent to kill and murder William H Seward as stated, and if the several parties named did commit the several acts alleged against them in the prosecution of said conspiracy then it is the law that all the parties to that conspiracy whether present at the time of its execution or not whether on trial before this Court or not are alike guilty of the several acts done by each in the execution of the common design What these conspirators did in the execution of this conspiracy by the hands of one of their conspirators they did themselves. That act done in the prosecution of the common design, was the act of all the parties to the treasonable combination because done in execution and for the benefit of them guilt and treasonable agreement As we have seen that is the rule whether all are present to witness the act or not Is not material whether the nature of the indictment is preceded the offense was the act of a conspiracy Upon indictment for instance it appears that others together with the prisoner conspired to perpetrate the crime the act of one done in pursuance of that intention, should be evidence against the rest (1st Whart on 706 To the same effect are the words of Chief Justice Marshall before cited that whoever league in a general conspiracy performed any part is aware minute, whether [illegible] remote from the scene of action are equally as principals In the present case conspiracy and the existing armed rebellion by murdering the executive officers of the United States and the common [illegible] of its armies all the parties to it must be held as principals and the act of each in the prosecution of the common design is the act of all I leave the decision of this case [illegible] that act to which it belongs Relying for support upon your oaths whether the accused are guilty I am to [illegible] that in this argument I have made any erroneous statement of the evidence or drawn any erroneous inference applicable to the law I pray the Court out of tender regard and goal mercy for the rights of the accused to see that no error of mine, if any there be, shall work them harm The past services of the members of this [illegible] entitle every accusation that without fear favor or affection they will discharge their duty to the [illegible] and [illegible] by their oaths. Whatever else may [illegible] I trust it shall [illegible] in every [illegible] American soul that the rights of the whole people will be respected and the republic in this its supreme hour of trial will be true to itself and just to all [illegible] protect the rights of the humblest to [illegible] every wrong to avenge every crime [illegible] the majesty of law and to maintain inviolate that justice upon which the Constitution is [illegible] and which [illegible] whether supplied by hosts armed with gold or armed with steel

HOW SHERIDAN'S MONEY SET A writer in one of the magazines relates the following incident in the career of that soldier when he was Quartermaster in the Southwest at the beginning of the war

Sheridan's modesty amounted to bashfulness especially in the presence of the gentler sex He [illegible] having been passed on the frontier, and in [illegible] or [illegible] duty, it is not at all surprising that our Quartermaster should be [illegible] when [illegible] he found himself in such a gathering he was sure to shrink to an obscure corner and keep silent We remember an amusing [illegible] of his bashfulness Before the attack to [illegible] by rail to Springfield when he was engaged in [illegible] supplies [illegible] the army During the [illegible] attention to [illegible] the modest to venture on such a [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]